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Applicant

: Armstrong et al.

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: Deployment System For

Intraluminal Devices

Grp/Art Unit

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION **UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2003 for the above-referenced application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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